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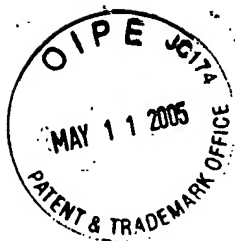
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- 2) PTO Form-1449 with 4 (four) cited References;
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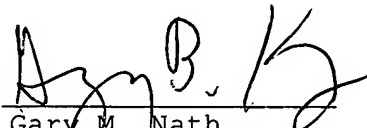
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